



LEROY D. BACA, SHERIFF

County of Los Angeles
Sheriff's Department Headquarters
4700 Ramona Boulevard
Monterey Park, California 91754-2169



October 17, 2006

The Honorable Board of Supervisors
County of Los Angeles
383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration
Los Angeles, California 90012

Dear Supervisors:

**AUTHORIZE THE SHERIFF TO ACCEPT A GRANT AWARD FROM THE
BLUE SHIELD OF CALIFORNIA FOUNDATION AND APPROVE AN
APPROPRIATION ADJUSTMENT
(ALL DISTRICTS) (4 VOTES)**

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOUR BOARD:

1. Authorize the Sheriff of Los Angeles County, as an agent for the County, to sign and accept a \$60,000 grant award from the Blue Shield of California Foundation (Blue Shield), for the Sheriff's Domestic Violence Reduction - Alumni Group Grant Program.
2. Authorize the Sheriff to execute all future amendments, modifications, extensions, and/or augmentations to said grant should such action(s) be required during the term of the grant.
3. Approve a Fiscal Year (FY) 2006-07 Request for Appropriation Adjustment for the Custody Budget Unit, in the amount of \$60,000 (Supplies & Services), to be offset with the funds awarded to the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department (Department) by Blue Shield.

PURPOSE/JUSTIFICATION OF RECOMMENDED ACTION

In June 2006, the Department submitted an application to Blue Shield for the FY 2006 Against Violence Grant Program. In August 2006, the Department was officially notified of a \$60,000 grant award from Blue Shield. The Department currently administers the Bridges to Recovery Domestic Violence Program (Bridges Program), which is held at

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the Pitchess Detention Center, that provides educational support to inmate domestic violence offenders. The Blue Shield grant will assist the Department with funding post-incarceration domestic violence reduction activities for graduates of the Bridges Program. Grant funding will pay for program services and supplies, including computer and office equipment, part-time teachers, and guest speakers who are experts in the field of domestic violence reduction.

Implementation of Strategic Plan Goals

This grant award from Blue Shield conforms to the Los Angeles County's Strategic Plan, Goal 1: Service Excellence, as it provides the Department with the ability to respond to public need, thereby providing public services that are beneficial and responsive to the community, and Goal 5: Children and Families' Well-Being, as these grant funds are directed at providing post-incarceration prevention and intervention services to released domestic violence offenders, thereby improving the well-being of children and families in Los Angeles County.

FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING

The FY 2006 Blue Shield grant will provide a total of \$60,000 (Supplies & Services) to the Department, with no matching funds required, to provide program services and supplies, including computer and office equipment, part-time teachers, and guest speakers.

FACTS AND PROVISIONS/LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

The grant award period is for one year, beginning September 1, 2006, and ending September 1, 2007. Grant award documents were received from Blue Shield on August 29, 2006. County Counsel has reviewed and approved as to form the grant award documents and the Board Letter.

IMPACT ON CURRENT SERVICES (OR PROJECTS)

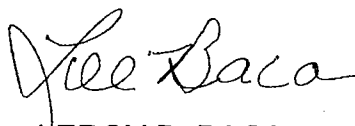
This funding will not impact current services within the Department. However, it will supplement the Department's Bridges Program by providing post-incarceration, domestic violence prevention and intervention educational support to released domestic violence offenders who are graduates of the Department's Bridges Program.

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CONCLUSION

Upon approval by your Board, the Department requests that your Board please provide four (4) individually adopted copies of this action and two (2) original grant award documents to the Department. The Department's contacts for this requested Board action are Peter Zavala, Grants Manager, at (323) 526-5112 or Deryl Trotter, Grants Coordinator, at (323) 526-5153.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Leroy Baca".

LEROY D. BACA
SHERIFF

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
REQUEST FOR APPROPRIATION ADJUSTMENT
SHERIFF
DEPARTMENT OF _____

DEPT 770
No. _____
SEPTEMBER 19 2006
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AUDITOR-CONTROLLER

THE FOLLOWING APPROPRIATION ADJUSTMENT IS DEEMED NECESSARY BY THIS DEPARTMENT. WILL YOU PLEASE REPORT AS TO ACCOUNTING AND AVAILABLE BALANCES AND FORWARD TO THE CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER FOR HIS RECOMMENDATION OR ACTION:

ADJUSTMENT REQUESTED AND REASONS THEREFOR

- 4 VOTES -

FISCAL YEAR 06/07

SOURCES

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT - CUSTODY
A01 - SH - 94 - 9707 - 15681 - 15685
UNCLASSIFIED \$60,000
INCREASE REVENUE

USES

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT - CUSTODY
A01 - SH - 2000 - 15681 - 15685
SERVICES & SUPPLIES \$60,000
INCREASE APPROPRIATION

JUSTIFICATION: Appropriation adjustment to fund post-incarceration domestic violence reduction activities for graduates of the "Bridges to Recovery Domestic Violence Program (Bridges)". This is offset with funds awarded to the Sheriff Department by the Blue Shield of California Foundation.


Conrad Meredith, Director, Financial Programs

CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER'S REPORT

REFERRED TO THE CHIEF
ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER FOR _____

ACTION

APPROVED AS REQUESTED

AS REVISED

✓ RECOMMENDATION

Apr. 28 192006 [Signature] for: [Signature]
CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER

AUDITOR-CONTROLLER

BY

APPROVED (AS REVISED):
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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DEPUTY COUNTY CLERK

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